

FY 2013-14 FEE SCHEDULE

Fee Description	Fee Amount	Unit Desc.	Comments
STATUTORY FEES			
Rabies Vaccination Fee/Deposit	\$10.00	each	See footnote 5
SPAY -NEUTER DEPOSIT			
Spay/Neuter deposit for any female/male dog	\$50.00	each	See footnote 5
Spay/Neuter deposit for any female/male cat	\$50.00	each	See footnote 5
Citation for failure to spay/neuter	\$35.00		See footnote 5
2nd Offense	\$50.00		See footnote 5
3rd Offense	\$100.00		See footnote 5
Citation/Fine Failure to comply with spay/neuter agreement first offense	\$50.00		See footnote 5
Citation/Fine Failure to comply with spay/neuter agreement second offense	\$100.00		See footnote 5
BOARDING FEES			
Regular Wards	\$25.00	per day	Fee is consistant with private boarding kennels. Division avoids significant increases in this fees to encourage redemptions that would cause shelter over crowding and
Quarantine, Isolation, Hold Wards	\$30.00	per day	Quarantine & Isolation wards require more staff time and attention due to the nature of quarantine. Though the fee is consistant with private boarding kennels. Division avoids significant increases in this fees to encourage redemptions that would cause

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ADOPTION OF ANIMALS			Base cost of adoptions is \$181.52 which covers the kennel care & administrative processing.
a. Adoption of Dogs	\$105.00	each	Adoptions include, alteration, rabies vaccine, microchip, collar
Adoption of Cats	\$80.00	each	Adoptions include, alteration, FIV test, Carrier, rabies vaccine, microchip, collar
b. Adoption of all small animals-common	\$5.00	each	To avoid decrease in adoption of small animals, the Animal Service fee is set below actual cost. Small types of animals including rodents, chickens, most fish, rabbits
Adoption of all standard-common	\$32.50	each	Fee includes adoption of goats, sheep, small or common tortoises/turtles, small reptiles and small birds.
Adoption of other animals exotic/horses	\$150.00	each	Fee comparable to true retail value of animals. Includes horses, large exotic lizards and snakes, large sulcata or exotic tortoises, large birds, and livestock.
c. Cat Carriers	\$3.00	each	Decrease in cost of carriers is reflected in proposed fee decrease.
d. Leashes	\$1.00	each	
LICENSE FEES			The provision of animal care and control services is a public requirement arising from the need to address problems and issues resulting from private animal ownership. License fees are assessed to recover a portion of the associated costs directly from the pet owning segment of the population. Thus, the "cost for service" is more than the costs
Altered (Spayed or neutered)			

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One Year	\$25.00	each	Number of units proposed is based on licenses set to expire in FY 13-14, along with average number of new licenses sold for adoptions.
Three Years	\$62.50	each	Number of units proposed is based on licenses set to expire in FY 13-14.
Senior Citizen Discount on 3 Year Altered License	-\$7.00	each	Senior citizen defined as 65 and older.
Unaltered (Non-spayed or non-neutered)			
One Year	\$66.00	each	Number of units is based on licenses set to expire in FY 13-14, along with average number of new licenses sold.
Late Licensing Penalty	\$15.00	each	
REISSUANCE OF LOST TAG/TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP			
Reissuance Fee	\$15.00	each	
IMPOUND FEES:			To promote license compliance, 1st Impound Fee waived if dog is currently licensed and wearing tag.
Dogs			
1st Impound	\$65.00	each	See footnote 1, 2
2nd Impound	\$103.00	each	See footnote 1, 2
3rd Impound	\$150.00	each	See footnote 1, 2
4th and Succeeding Impounds (each)	\$200.00	each	See footnote 1, 2
Cat Redemption Fee			

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Altered	\$10.00	each	Fee continues to remain low to encourage owners to redeem animal to prevent future euthanasia of animals.
Unaltered	\$26.00	each	Fee continues to remain low to encourage owners to redeem animal to prevent future euthanasia of animals.
Discount with any form of identification at time of impoundment (microchip or tag which has correct owner contact information)	-\$5.00	each	Discount applies to an animal that has been micro-chipped.
QUARANTINE FEES			Fee is applied in cases of a bite to a person (or in the case of animal rabies exposure) occurring as a result of the animal owner's negligence or failure to keep an animal confined.
Quarantine-Licensed Dog Discount	-\$10.00	each	DELETE
Bite Report & Quarantine Administration	\$105.00	each	New fee structure to streamline quarantine process for public and staff
First Field Response	\$50.00	each	New fee structure to streamline quarantine process for public and staff
Additional Field Response for Animal Check or Quarantine	\$50.00	each	New fee structure to streamline quarantine process for public and staff
OWNER SERVICES REQUEST FOR OWNED ANIMAL PICK-UP			
First Animal	\$65.00	each	
Each additional adult animal	\$38.00	each	

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Litter (up to 4 month old animals)	\$65.00	each	
OWNED ANIMAL TURNED INTO SHELTER			
Each adult animal	\$30.00	each	See footnote 2
Owned litter turned in with parent animal	\$37.00	each	See footnote 2
Owned litter turned into shelter	\$30.00	each	See footnote 2
Transportation (to veterinarians, etc.)	\$134.00	each	See footnote 4
After hours emergency assistance (2 hr min)	\$80.00	each	See footnote 3
DEAD ANIMAL PICK UP			
Cats/Dogs under 80 pounds	\$36.00	each	
Over 80 pounds with second officer	\$47.00	each	
EUTHANASIA			
First Animal	\$35.00	each	See footnote 2
Litter charge (under 4 months)	\$35.00	each	
Rodents and Rabbits	\$5.00	each	
Livestock/Domestic	\$55.00	each	
DISPOSAL FEE			
Under 10 pounds	\$50.00	each	
10-50 pounds	\$60.00	each	
50-90 pounds (2 person) Modified Weight	\$85.00	each	
91-150 pounds (2 persons)	\$95.00	each	
CITATION /FINES			
Potentially Dangerous Dog Fee	\$560.00	each	Decrease in fee based on time study
Vicious Dog	\$370.00	each	Decrease in fee based on time study

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NUISANCE ABATEMENT			
Investigation/Inquiry with guilty finding.	\$465.00	each	Decrease in fee based on time study
Nuisance Abatement Appeals	\$250.00	each	
RELEASE OF INFORMATION, COPIES OF REPORTS	\$0.10	each	
Research Fee	\$15.00	each	
Cat Trap Rental	\$2.00	per day	
Cat Trap Deposit	\$25.00	each	Refundable upon return of trap. Offsets cost of equipment of lost.
Dog Trap Deposit	\$25.00	each	Refundable upon return of trap. Offsets cost of equipment of lost.
Dog Trap Rental	\$3.00	per day	
INVESTIGATIONS			
Cruelty Investigations	Actual Cost	each	
Cruelty Investigations/followup	Actual Cost	each	
PERMITS			
Commercial Kennel & Pet Shop	\$379.00	each	
Hobby Breeder (for 2 litters per year)	\$189.00	each	
Permit Penalty up to 30 days			25% Surcharge on initial fee
Permit Penalty up to 60 days			50% Surcharge on initial fee
Permit Penalty up to 90 days			75% Surcharge on initial fee
Permit Penalty excess of 90 days			100% Surcharge on initial fee
Each additional litter	\$51.00	each	
501C3 designated non-profit operations will be exempt from commercial fee			

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Non-Commercial/Multi-Animal			
Altered and Unaltered Animals	\$125.00	each	See footnote 6. Fee is based on city defined code where in most cases owner charged fee if they own more than 3 animals.
RABIES TESTING			Fee is applied in cases of a bite to a person (or in the case of animal rabies exposure) occurring as a result of the animal owner's negligence or failure to keep an animal confined.
Head Removal Needed	\$115.00	each	
Lab and reporting needed	\$30.00	each	
CAMP P.A.W.S.(Humane Education Camp)			
Per camp/total 16 children	\$70.00	per person	
SERVICES OFFERED			
Rabies Vaccination Fee (Dogs)	\$10.00	each	
Microchipping (General Public)	\$30.00	each	

Department Name: Health Agency - Public Health - Animal Services

Fund Center: 137

Footnote #	Footnote Narrative
1	County Impound fees correspond to multiple violations as a means of achieving compliance of code.
2	County fee remains below actual cost to avoid animal abandonment.
3	Fee increase to help recover cost while continuing to avoid possible abandonment.
4	Move towards Board of Supervisors policy of fully cost recovery and/or minimize impact on General Fund
5	In addition to the County approved fees, an additional State surcharge may be applicable and is subject to change after this publication.
6	Fee is not applicable in unincorporated areas
7	Full cost of cruelty investigations are included in Restitution documents submitted to the courts during hearing process.
8	The Health Agency Director or Animal Services Manager is authorized to waive fees.